

Substitute for Form 1449 A & B/PTO				<i>Complete if Known</i>	
<u>INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT BY APPLICANT</u>				Application Number	Not yet assigned
				Confirmation Number	Not yet assigned
				Filing Date	February 18, 2004
				First Named Inventor	Haruki YOSHIDA
				Art Unit	Not yet assigned
				Examiner Name	Not yet assigned
				Attorney Docket Number	Q79957
Sheet	1	of	1		

U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

NON PATENT LITERATURE DOCUMENTS

Examiner Signature	T. LE	Date Considered	12/09/04.
--------------------	-------	-----------------	-----------

*EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.

¹Applicant's unique citation designation number (optional). ²See Kind Codes of USPTO Patent Documents at www.uspto.gov, MPEP 901.04 or follow the hyperlink from the title of the document to the intranet. ³Enter Office that issued the document, by the two-letter code (WIPO Standard ST. 3). ⁴For Japanese patent documents, the indication of the year of the reign of the Emperor must precede the serial number of the patent document. ⁵Kind of document by the appropriate symbols as indicated on the document under WIPO Standard ST. 16 if possible. ⁶Applicant is to indicate here if English language Translation is attached.